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Friday, Jan. 19, 1883.

SILVER bar, 1,000 fine, is quoted this week in New York at \$1.09 1/2; in London, 255 fine, at 50 1/2d or about \$1.01 1/2.

An 8 per cent. Court-house bond at 95 cents is simply a 7.35 per cent. Court-house bond at par. Does any one suppose that those bonds can be placed at 7.35 per cent?

CODIFICATION OR REVISION, WHICH?

The following is the substance of the Knapp bill for the revision and codification of the statutes, over which so much discussion has sprung up in the Legislature, as opposed to the Lemon bill for a simple revision:

Sec. 1. A commission of three persons to be appointed by the Governor of this Territory, by and with the advice and consent of the Council, is hereby created for the purpose of revising and compiling the statutes of this Territory. The members of such Commission shall, within thirty days after the passage of this Act, meet at the city of Tucson, in this Territory, and organize themselves into a Board for the discharge of duties hereinafter provided. The Commission shall have power to select a secretary, who shall attend upon all the meetings of said Board.

Sec. 2. The said Commission is hereby authorized to revise all the statutes of this Territory, including such laws as shall be created at the present session of the Legislature, and correct all errors and omissions, and suggest such alterations and improvements as by them shall be deemed necessary; to recommend such legislation as shall, in the judgment of the Commission, be required to remedy the defects in existing laws, and propose and present the bills therefor, and suggest and recommend such general laws as it shall deem necessary, and prepare and report bills therefor.

Sec. 3. The Commission shall hold its sessions at such time and at such place as shall be deemed by the Commissioners best calculated to promote the purposes and labors of the Commission, and shall enter upon the discharge of its duties immediately after its organization. It shall hold weekly sessions of not less than four days in each week until its labors shall be completed; provided, however, that such Commission may adjourn its sittings during the summer months, from time to time, as the Board may determine; but no adjournment shall exceed thirty days.

Sec. 4. The Commission shall complete its labors before the first day of January, 1885, and shall, upon such completion, prepare and present to the next Legislature a complete report of all its proceedings herein provided, and such report shall embrace exhibits of all the changes, alterations, modifications and suggested improvements to existing laws, and such additional legislation as shall be proposed and prepared by it, with bills framed therefor, and with a full and accurate index thereof.

Sec. 5. The report and exhibit shall be printed by the Territorial Printer under the supervision of the Commission. The Territorial Printer shall also, at any time during the progress of the revision, upon the requisition of the Commission, print any matter relating to the business thereof.

Sec. 6. The Commission is hereby authorized to provide suitable rooms for the transaction of their labors at a rent not to exceed fifty dollars per month, and vouchers for the payment of such rent, and for stationery and other material necessary to carry out the purposes of the Commission, shall be sworn to by the claimant therefor, and shall also be endorsed by the Commission, as being a necessary charge, and in all respects correct; and when so sworn to, and endorsed, shall be a proper charge against this Territory, and the Territorial Treasurer is authorized to pay the same out of any funds in the Treasury appropriated.

Sec. 7. The members of the Commission shall each receive for his services \$4,000 per annum for the time he shall be actually engaged in such revision, and in the preparation of its report, and such compensation shall be paid quarterly, dating from the organization of such Commission; provided that no member shall receive a stated payment unless he shows by his own affidavit and the certificate of his associates on the Commission that he has faithfully attended the sittings and aided in the labors of the Commission during the period for which payment is de-

manded. The Secretary of the Commission shall receive \$300 per month for the time he shall be actually engaged in the performance of his duties, and his salary shall be deemed due and payable quarterly, and shall be paid in the manner a form provided for the payment of the salary of the Commissioners, and upon like proof of services rendered.

Sec. 8. The Governor shall have power to fill vacancies in such Commission, caused by death, resignation or otherwise. He shall have power to remove any member thereof for habitual neglect of the duties thereof, and any member who shall fail to attend upon the sittings of the Commission, during the performance of his labors, for the period of thirty days, unless in case of sickness, shall thereby cease to be a member, and the Governor shall at once proceed to fill such vacancy.

Sec. 9. All acts and parts of acts in conflict with this act are hereby repealed.

Sec. 10. This act shall take effect immediately after its passage.

Governor Tritle has appointed E. B. Gage, of Tucson, W. C. Davis, of Tucson, and L. H. Orme, of Phoenix, as a Board on Prison Commissioners. If Messrs. Gage and Davis are as reliable men as Mr. Orme, the Governor could not have picked a better Commission in the Territory.

A Decision.

From the Arizona Advance we clip this extract from Judge Pinney's decision in the contested election case of Martin vs. Lyons, at Yuma, A. T.:

* * * 3rd.—That the said contestant, Isaac Lyons, did, at or immediately prior to the election held in said county of Yuma, on the 7th day of November, 1882, offer to pay and authorize to be paid to divers electors in said county of Yuma, who did vote at said election for said office of County Treasurer, certain sums of money, viz: \$5 to one Bernardino Contreras, and \$10 to one Ingraham, in consideration of their votes being cast for said Isaac Lyons for the office of Treasurer of said county at said election, but that the number of votes so bribed did not exceed in number the majority declared by said Board of Supervisors in favor of said Lyons and against the contestant, and the Court, by reason of said bribery aforesaid, and in pursuance of the findings aforesaid, doth order, adjudge and decree that the said election to the said office of Treasurer of Yuma county be and the same is hereby annulled and set aside, and that the contestant have and recover his costs against the said Isaac Lyons of four hundred and seventy-five dollars and eighty cents. [Signed]

D. H. FISKE, Judge.

TELEGRAPHIC

THE TWELFTH TERRITORIAL LEGISLATURE.

Special to the Herald.]

PRESCOTT, Jan. 19.—Quite a brush took place in the Council on account of Hughes' resolution to investigate census returns. All Yavapai arose to explain and many warm speeches were made. Bolan and Hughes charge gross frauds in the census. The printing muddle has been definitely settled to-day. The Courier gets the journals, while the Democrat and Miner get all other printing.

Moye Wicks has gained fresh laurels by the way in which he has handled the Apache question. His memorial on that question has been printed and is greatly admired.

The House is doing good work, and the delegation from Maricopa County is attending to her interests.

Explosion of a Steamer With Freight and Passengers.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 17.—A Seattle dispatch says that the explosion occurred while the passengers were at dinner. The crowd sheet went straight up through the forward cabin and pilot house, carrying Johnson, the man at the wheel, high into the air, causing his instant death. Captain Bailey was on the main deck and was lost. Neither he or Purser Turner were seen after the explosion. The steward and his helper, David Sparks, were instantly killed while waiting on the table. Cavanaugh, the fireman, was not seen afterwards and was undoubtedly killed. Scammon, a commercial traveler, representing Bates, Reed & Cooley, of New York, was killed. San Baddet, a stranger, was also killed. Those injured were Dennis Lowler, engineer, badly bruised about the head; Miss Etelle Bradish, of Tacoma, thigh broken; Hannah Price, of Skagit, old lady, ankle jammed and hurt; H. G. Kelly, of Skagit, leg broken, and one or two others slightly hurt. Sixteen persons on board escaped unhurt. The boat broke in two pieces, one sinking the other floating. Indians and loggers near by rescued the survivors of the steamer Josephine.

The Tariff Bill Not Unanimously Reported.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—The tariff bill was reported to the House from the Ways and Means Committee, accompanied by a brief report which

says that the hope of unanimity of opinion in so large a committee as that of Ways and Means could not be entertained, and the bill was not unanimously reported. The Free Traders are in the committee expressed their intention to do all in their power to defeat the bill, and the Protectionists will, as a rule, work earnestly for it. Though it is well known some Protectionists in the House prefer that the tariff should be left as it is, the friends of the bill assert that the reductions were distributed with such care as to avoid any injurious effect upon the industries of the country.

Republican National Convention.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—The National Committee today adopted the following: The National Republican Convention of 1884 shall consist of four delegates at large from each state and two delegates from each congressional district. The delegates at large shall be chosen by a popular delegate state convention called on not less than twenty days notice and held not less than thirty nor more than ninety days before the time for the meeting of the National Convention. Republicans of the various Congressional districts shall have the option of electing their delegates at separate popular delegate conventions called on similar notice and held in the districts at any time within fifteen days next prior to the meeting of State conventions, or by subdivisions. State conventions into district conventions and such delegates shall be chosen in the latter method if not elected previous to the meeting of State conventions all district delegates be accredited by the officers of such district convention. Two delegates shall be allowed from each Territory and from the District of Columbia similarly chosen. Notices of contests may be given to the National Committee, accompanied by full printed statements of grounds of contest, which shall also be made public, and preference in order of hearing and determining contests shall be given by the convention according to dates of the reception of such notices and statements by the National Committee. On motion it was ordered that the meeting of the committee at which the time and place for holding the next Republican National Convention are to be fixed be set for the 13th of December next at Washington. Adjourned.

A Star Route Sensation.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—A sensation in the Star Route trial is expected. Some time ago it was stated that the intended to become a witness for the state. It seems Reeder does not intend to go on the witness stand. He has in his possession documents far more damaging to the defense than any evidence he can give. It is understood that he has consented to the government those documents for use. Those who know the character of the documents say they do not see how the defense is to meet the damaging evidence which they contain.

Its Star Still Ascending.

In a recent call upon W. H. McAlister, 306 front street, general agent for the sale of the Star Evening Tobacco, he thus spoke to one of our reporters: "I was tortured with pain from acute rheumatism, and cared not whether I lived or died. I tried St. Jacobs Oil—just two applications of which cured me."—San Francisco, (Cal.) Call.

Friday's Locals.

Lovers' nights.

Live and let live.

Bright moonlight.

Business men are multiplying.

Phoenix is attracting considerable business.

Cold rains prevail to-day and things look gloomy.

The festive coyote serenades the sleeping Phoenician.

Read Rodondo & Balz' new ad in to-day's issue of the Herald.

Witnesses are being examined this afternoon in the contested election case.

Mr. Geo. Hearst came down from Prescott to-day on his way to Durango, Mexico.

The China store and wash house on Montezuma street is receiving a frame addition.

The contested election cases being tried to-day have attracted a number of people to town.

Mr. Thos. Kelly, of Mesa City, is in town to-day as a witness in the contested election cases.

Regular service at the M. E. Brick Church on Sabbath at 1 A. M. and at 7 P. M. Prayer meeting Thursday 7 P. M.

WANTED.—A pen of hungry pigs and sixteen shanghai roosters, all guaranteed to wake up at precisely 5:30 A. M.

More calls for houses and rooms. If you have either to let or to sell, advertise them and you will readily find an occupant.

Dr. Rosson presides in his office to-day with more than ordinary suavity. A new ten pound boy at home is the cause.

The capital will fix the capital; but if the capital should fail to secure the capital the capital might never grace the capital. Sabe?

Mr. James O. Neville, the general import and export agent of the Allen Line, and general Dominion shipping agent, of 538 Dorchester street, Montreal, Canada, says: "While on a late exhibition trip to the states,

my old foe, the rheumatism, attacked me, and gave me a rough siege. Having read the endorsement of well known people who had used St. Jacobs Oil, I determined to give it a trial. In two weeks time I was as well as ever, and fully able to attend to my business."

Mr. Saml. Hazley came in from Mesa City last evening. He is a witness in the contested election case on trial to-day before Judge Pinney.

A new butcher shop, a new harness shop, a new jeweler shop, and a new paint shop are among the business additions of the town since January first.

Ex-Sanitary Com. Rufus K. Hireman, of New Orleans, was cured of a severe attack of rheumatism by St. Jacobs Oil, so we see by an item in the Columbus (Ga.) Enquirer-Sun.

The Arizona Advance, Vol. 1, No. 1, published at Yuma by C. L. St. Ormand, reached us this morning. It is a seven-column weekly of fine typographical appearance. We extend the hand of fellowship and wish it a long and pleasant stay.

The Hot Springs ranch, comprising 100 square miles, situated in the southeastern part of the Territory in the vicinity of Benson, is for sale or lease. It is represented to be one of the finest stock ranges in the country. Read the advertisement in today's Herald.

Mr. J. T. Hord, the new jeweler, has fixed up a neat little shop in Loring's building near the Court-house, where he is now prepared to do first-class work in his line. He guarantees satisfaction and prompt work. His advertisement appears in to-day's paper.

The Mesa City people are enlarging their ditch to about 15 feet in width at the bottom and to about 10 feet deep, making it one of the largest ditches in the country. The improvements will be finished in about two weeks, when it will carry enough water for a much larger community than now located in that section of country. The population is rapidly increasing in that section at present.

Messrs. Rodondo and Balz open their new meat market on the west side of the plaza to-morrow morning. They have been preparing for business for some time and have constructed extensive corrals and slaughter house and fitted up a convenient and central shop where accommodating attendants will be found to wait upon customers. Step in and see them.

We received an intimation a day or two since that a certain sum of money had been sent through Judge Hoover to a gentleman in this place and that the money had never been delivered. Upon investigating the matter thoroughly we discovered that Judge Hoover had left the money as he agreed but that the gentleman through a misunderstanding had failed to get it till a Havana reporter found it and delivered it to him. As we stated an evening or two since we felt that there must be some mistake somewhere and were glad to discover that our surmise was correct.

A Pennsylvania Jurist, Judge Briggs, of the common pleas court of Philadelphia, has laid down the law defining the amount and kind of religious belief necessary to make a competent witness in a court of justice under the laws of that state. The decision was called for under a motion for a new trial in a case wherein the religious belief of one of the witnesses was not orthodox, and another trial was asked for on this ground.

BORN.

In Phoenix, A. T., Jan. 18, 1883, to the wife of Dr. J. L. Rosson, a son. Ten pounder.

Special Session of District Court

JUDGE PINNEY, PRESIDING.

PHOENIX, Jan. 19, 1883.

Cours opened at 10 o'clock, A. M. Judge Smith, of Tucson, added to counsel of contestant.

After a brief statement as to the course of procedure, the court took a recess to 1:30 P. M.

TERRITORIAL TWIGS.

Pima county has hired a gardner to take care of her court-house grounds.

Tucson has a new water company just formed with a capital stock of \$500,000.

Mr. T. Polk, the defaulting state treasurer of Tennessee, is a nephew of ex-President James K. Polk; is fifty-one years of age; graduated at West Point; was an officer in the Confederate army, lost a leg at Shiloh and was on Gen. Polk's staff.

It has long been felt among leading citizens that the election of School Trustees should be held apart from other elections, and this the new education bill provides for, setting the time to hold the election in May, and not at the time of the general election as is now customary. If there is any one thing that ought to be sacred to American citizens, and free, absolutely free from political and religious bias, and from all social disturbance, it is our Public School System. Anything that would tend to purify it and keep it purified will receive the earnest support of every true hearted citizen of the country.

the killing of three men at the Olives, is without the least foundation.—Globe Chronicle.

A petition is being circulated asking a reduction in the rate of interest named in the Court House Bill now before the Legislature from ten to eight per cent.

Resolutions of Respect.

To the Master, Wardens and Brethren of Arizona Lodge No. 2, F. and A. M.:

We, your Committee, appointed to draft resolutions of respect on the death of our brother, Stephen Z. Pierce, report the following:

Whereas, It has pleased the Supreme Grand Master of the Universe to take from our midst Brother Stephen Z. Pierce

Resolved: That we recognize in him a zealous member of our Ancient Brethren, worthy to receive the last rites of our Order.

Resolved: That we feel a sense of loss and sorrow in the death of our brother, and we tender to the bereaved family our heartfelt sympathies in their great affliction. Therefore be it

Resolved: That the tribute of our respect and sorrow be spread upon the minutes of this Lodge and a copy of the same be furnished to each of the newspapers of this place with a request that it be published.

Geo. H. N. Luhrs, M. MITCHELL, W. W. KALES, Committee.

[From Thursday's Daily.]

Building business is not now in so much of a rush.

Come along, Southern Yavapai and Tonto Basin. If you want into Maricopa County this chance, it is time to be on the move.

Cannot the different water companies make some joint arrangements whereby when one of them fails to supply town water the other can?

The Courier whines that it don't get as sweet a slice of the cake as other Prescott papers. Don't cry, sonny; stand it like a man. "Sour grapes."

The people of Maricopa are a unit on the question of being attached to this county. They will bring in with them two sections of railroad lands to be taxed. Let us lend them a hand.

A "Sun Beam" fell upon our table this morning; a monthly child's paper published by Miss H. Martindale, Dallas, Texas. It has sixteen pages of reading matter. Subscription, 50 cents per annum.

That handsome and entertaining vocalist, Miss Bertie Hastings, will preside over the musical department at the Tiger hereafter and add to its interest by the attractions of her rare and beautiful songs and fine instrumental music.

How many people would be disgusted, if not horrified could they see every word of their daily conversation in print; and yet they will persist in giving their friends just such an impression every time they open their mouths as they would get themselves from the printed language.

Maricopa County is represented in the clerical force at Prescott as follows: Joe Alexander, Assistant Chief Clerk of the House; Miss Mattie Tucker, Assistant Enrolling Clerk of the House; Miss Georgia McClintock, Clerk of the Committees on education; Master Cook, Page of the Council.

In Congress the House Committee on Public Lands have reported a bill to repeal the law allowing pre-emption of the public lands and confining the disposal of them entirely to homesteads under the homestead law. Certain Congressmen denounce it as a bill concocted by land grant railroads to cut off government competition.

DR. SAMUEL MUD, who sheltered and aided John Wilks Booth, the assassin of President Lincoln, as he fled from his murder, died at his home in Charles County, Maryland, on the 13th inst. Dr. Mud was tried as an abettor of Booth's crime and sentenced to the Dry Tortugas for life, but was pardoned out by President Johnson.

A CONCURRENT resolution introduced by our Councilman provides for a committee of five from each house of the Legislature to revise and compile our laws and report to both houses from time to time for their action. This would certainly be a very economic measure, and if nothing better can be done we hope the resolution will be adopted. The only difficulty we see about the matter is the want of time necessary to do thorough work.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

NEW JEWELRY STORE.



J. T. HORD, Practical Watchmaker and Jeweler, LORING'S BUILDING, Court House Block, Phoenix, Arizona. Watches, Clocks and Jewelry cleaned and repaired on short notice. All work warranted.

Homestead Notice.

LAND OFFICE AT TUCSON, ARIZONA, JANUARY 12, 1883.

Notice is hereby given that Maria P. Griffin has filed notice of her intention to make final proof in support of her homestead claim No. 15,242, against final entry thereof, and that such proof will be made before the Hon. D. H. Pinney, Judge of the Second Judicial District Court, for the Territory of Arizona, at his chambers in the City of Phoenix, in the County of Maricopa, A. T., on the 15th day of February, 1883, at 10 o'clock A. M., for this S. W. Section 2, Township No. 1, N., of Range No. 2, E., and against the following as his witnesses, viz: William H. Downard, Henry B. Stinson, Matthew H. Merrill and Mercedes Espinosa, all of Phoenix.

HENRY COCHRAN, Re Issue.

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WEST SIDE OF THE PLAZA, PHOENIX, A. T.

Rodondo & Balz, Proprietors.

Fresh Beef, Mutton, Pork, etc., PICKLED MEATS, SAUSAGE.

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